of hypertext documents having high resolution graphics. The method begins, for example, as a web page is being displayed on the graphical user interface, the web page having a link to a hypertext document preferably located at a remote server. In response to the user clicking on the link, the link is activated by the browser to request downloading the hypertext document from the remote server to the graphical user interface of the client. While the client waits for a reply and/or as the hypertext document is being downloaded, the browser displays a previously-cached information object.

At page 5, lines 17-26, replace the paragraph numbered "[0014]" with the following:

[0014] The object of this invention in the Michael Application, JP10222541A2, incorporated herein by reference, is to attain the high speed access of a web page by a user. The system attempts to achieve this objective by automatically pre-loading another selected web page and an associated graphics file. A client is connected through a communication line with the World Wide Web. A server is provided with a web page access mechanism and program that permits the server, instead of the client, to request web pages from a disk or another server. Then, a web page is read and a link marked as the object of primary load is identified. At that time, when another web page and related graphics corresponding to this link are present and the link is selected, the related graphics are automatically preloaded to the storage device of the client web browser.

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